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Dear Sir:

This paper and amendments are responsive to the Non-final Office action mailed October 14, 2008 which sets a shortened statutory period for response of 3 months with a due date of on or before January 14, 2009. This response is being timely filed on or before January 14, 2009.

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